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Dear Friends,

The winter months are always a challenge in doing open air ministry here in Western Pennsylvania. We pretty much keep to the schedule of making the rounds to the universities in this area. Our ministry regularly travels to the main campus of Penn State, The Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Slippery Rock University and the University of Pittsburgh. This year we also held a meeting at Point Park College in Pittsburgh. Sometimes it is so cold and snowy that it is not conducive for preaching; so we put up a standing board, hand out gospel tracts and engage with students in personal conversations. The Lord always brings students our way as this young college student viewed our sign and came over to talk. I had a great time sharing Christ with her. I love preaching to groups, but I also treasure the value of one soul and take every personal opportunity to witness one on one. I thank God that Spring, though late, has finally arrived.





Debbie and I provide a service once each month at the Arrowood Senior living center in West Mifflin, PA. We call it Sunday Night Praise. It is always a blessings to visit with the seniors there, lead a time of worship and teach the great truths God has given to us in the Bible. Debbie comes with me to play the piano and twice a year we bring her piano students to hold a recital. The seniors really enjoy the young people who also serve cookies to them after the meeting. This is a picture of our most recent recital service. The kids did a fine job of entertaining the seniors, and I was able to share the Gospel with all after the recital.



I was invited to represent OAC at the annual mission conference at Lancaster Bible College. It was a great week interacting with the students and faculty. I participated as one of the panelists in a breakout session on "How to witness to atheists." This is an issue we face more frequently at the universities as more students are declaring themselves to be atheists or agnostics. One afternoon, we took some students and conducted an open air meeting in downtown Lancaster.

In March, I went to Miami for a week to be involved with the "Miami Outreach." This ministry involves training Bible college students on how to use the OAC tools to do evangelism. We all spent the week in a church facility. Each morning was given to training the students. We then would head out in the afternoon to conduct outdoor children's Bible clubs, and every evening we went to the Lincoln Mall in downtown Miami to preach the Gospel to adults. It was wonderful to see the excitement of the students as they were learning and practicing evangelism. Here is a picture of one of the Bible clubs we conducted. At the end of the meeting, children responded and wanted to accept Christ.



Thank You Very Much !

Every evening was a beautiful night in downtown Miami. People were strolling along and the conditions were perfect for them to stop and listen to our presentations. At night we use the blacklight to illuminate the sketch board to grab people's attention. We had good crowds that gathered and were able to engage with many in Gospel conversations. Through the week, we not only shared the Gospel with many US citizens but also were able to witness to people from 17 different countries.

This summer I will be traveling to do weeks of meetings in Maryland, New York and Massachusetts along with continuing our ministry in downtown Pittsburgh and Western PA.

Debbie and I want to express our heartfelt gratitude to you who support our ministry through prayer and finances. We could not be doing this ministry without your help. Together, we are bringing more precious souls to Christ. You are dear to us. Contact us any time with concerns, special needs or prayer requests. We love and appreciate you!

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